

**House of Representatives  
Local Government  
Committee Meeting Schedule - Interim 2003**

| <b>DATE</b>     | <b>TIME</b> | <b>LOCATION</b>              | <b>COMMITTEE</b> | <b>SUBJECT</b>   | <b>TYPE</b>                     |
|-----------------|-------------|------------------------------|------------------|--|---------------------------------|
| June 19         | Afternoon   | Spokane                      | Full Committee   | Work Session in conjunction with Association of Washington Cities 2003 Annual Conference, Thursday, June 19, 1:30-3:30, on Local Government Finance: A Case Study of City and County Financing.                      | Work Session                    |
| June 20         | Half Day    | Newport, Pend Oreille County | Full Committee   | Travel from Spokane to Newport, Pend Oreille County, to hold Work Session on Planning under the Growth Management Act: A Study of how the Growth Management Act is working in Pend Oreille County.                   | Work Session                    |
| September 18-19 | TBA         | Olympia                      | Full Committee   | Update on the Washington Supreme Court Case regarding municipal annexations; update on Shorelines issues; and review of studies on concurrency by the Puget Sound Regional Council and the University of Washington. | Work Session                    |
| December 4-5    | TBA         | Olympia                      | Full Committee   | 1) Planning Under the Growth Management Act: A study of how the Growth Management Act is working in Olympia and Thurston County. 2) Local Government Finance: A Case Study of City and County Financing.             | Public Hearing/<br>Work Session |

**Joint Work Group on Permitting Processes**

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| September 18-19 | TBA         | Olympia         | Work Group       | It is anticipated that the Joint Work Group will review the general permitting requirements of the Growth Management Act, the Shoreline Management Act, the State Environmental Policy Act, and hydraulic projects. | TBA         |
| December 4-5    | TBA         | Olympia         | Work Group       | " "   | TBA         |

**Project Title: Planning Under the Growth Management Act**

Priority: 1

Completion Date: December 31, 2003

Committee / Staff: Ethan Moreno and Amy Wood

Reference: N/A

Other Resources:

Project Description: The Committee will review the Growth Management Act (GMA) planning requirements and goals related to improving growth practices, encouraging economic development, and protecting the environment in counties planning under the GMA.

**Project Title: Local Government Finance**

Priority: 1

Completion Date: December 31, 2003

Committee / Staff: Amy Wood

Reference: N/A

Other Resources:

Project Description: The Committee will examine a variety of city and county finance issues, including but not limited to: (1) local government taxing authority and limitations and (2) the fiscal impacts of annexations and incorporations.

**Project Title: Local Government Permitting Processes - Joint Work Group**

Priority: 1

Completion Date: December 31, 2003

Committee / Staff: Ethan Moreno and a staff member from the Fisheries, Ecology and Parks Committee

Reference: N/A

Other Resources:

Project Description: A joint work group comprised of members from the Local Government and the Fisheries, Ecology and Parks Committees will review local government permitting processes under the Growth Management Act, the Shoreline Management Act, and the State Environmental Policy Act. In addition to considering the interaction of statutory provisions and methods for integrating permitting requirements of the acts, the work group will also likely review related requisites for hydraulic project permits.